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Application Number	09/899,197
Filing Date	July 6, 2001
Inventor(s)	Mike GESKUS
Group Art Unit	2646
Examiner Name	Dionne HARVEY
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APPLICANTS: Mike GESKUS CONF. NO.: 2700  
SERIAL NO.: 09/899,197 GROUP: 2646  
FILED: July 7, 2001 EXAMINER: Dionne HARVEY  
FOR: A DIRECTIONAL MICROPHONE  
DOCKET NO.: 45900-000630/US

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Customer Service Window  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
**Mail Stop Amendment**

August 15, 2005  
(Monday)

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Examiner's Restriction Requirement dated July 13, 2005, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-referenced application.

***REMARKS***

The Examiner required restriction of one of the following inventions:

Group I. Claims 1, 3, 5-8, 10, 12-14, 16 and 18-21, drawn to hollow transporting means for a microphone wherein the transporting means are dimensioned so as to optimize frequency response;